

***IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE***

Applicant: Volker KIRSCHNER et al.  
Title: AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
REGULATING THE HEATING CAPACITY THEREOF  
Appl. No.: 10/567,334  
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Examiner: Ljiljana V. Ciric  
Art Unit: 3744  
Confirmation No.: 9381

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT  
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.115**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-compliant Amendment dated March 25, 2009,  
Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: